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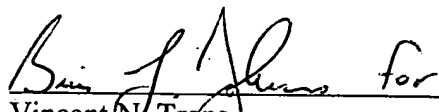
In re Application of: )  
Lango et al. )  
Application No. 09/981,328 )  
Filed: October 16, 2001 ) **DECISION ON REQUEST FOR**  
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ) **WITHDRAWAL AS ATTORNEY**  
REDUCING STREAMING MEDIA DATA )  
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This is a decision on the Request For Withdrawal As Attorney Under 37 CFR § 1.36 and 10.40(c) filed November 04, 2004.

A Revocation And Substitution Of Power Of Attorney Under 37 CFR § 1.36 was filed on December 06, 2004. The Power Of Attorney revoked all prior Powers Of Attorney and appointed the practitioners of customer number 48102 as the attorneys of record of the instant application. The Power Of Attorney of December 06, 2004 was accepted. Accordingly, all communications from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office to applicant are to be conducted by the practitioners of customer number 48102.

For the above stated reasons, the request is DISMISSED AS MOOT.

No further communication to you regarding this application will be made.

  
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